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#### RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT

Responsive to the Notice of Abandonment, dated January 10, 2006, applicant responds as follows.

The Notice of Abandonment states that the application is abandoned in view of "Applicant's failure to timely file a proper reply to the Office letter mailed on 10 May 2005." In a telephone conversation between Ravel Berman, legal assistant for Alan T. McCollom, attorney of record, and Examiner Le on January 13, 2006, Ms. Berman indicated that a response to the Office Action dated May 10, 2005 was timely fax-filed on August 3, 2005. Ms. Berman also indicated that applicant received the Auto-Reply Facsimile Transmission from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office confirming receipt of applicant's facsimile transmission, on August 3, 2005. Examiner Le indicated to Ms. Berman that he would withdraw the Notice of Abandonment, provided copies of the August 3, 2005 response to the Office Action and the confirmation receipt from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office were mailed to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

Accordingly, applicant provides herewith copies of the above-referenced documents via facsimile and U.S. mail, and respectfully requests withdrawal of the Notice of Abandonment.

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Responsive to the Office Action dated May 10, 2005, enclosed is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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#### **AMENDMENT**

Responsive to the Office Action, dated May 10, 2005, please amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.

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